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TO LET OR FOR SALE.—The building known as the Skating Rink, on Yates street. For further particulars apply at No. 254 Johnson street. jy19

BOARDERS—Mrs. F. G. Richards, Senr., will open a Private Boarding House, and will be able to accommodate a few boarders. House on Kane Street, above Blanchard. New house, and everything new pertaining to the establishment. jy9-1m

SPECIAL.

PERSONAL.—Will the gentleman who called at 10 Quadra street, at 10 a. m. Tuesday, in regard to property, call again at once. aug 5-1w MRS. COPELAND.

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NOTICE.

MR. ALEXANDER K. MUNRO HAS BEEN admitted as a full partner in the Victoria Machinery Depot from the 20th day of May, 1889. The business will be carried on as heretofore under the firm name of Spratt & Gray.

Victoria B. C., 22nd July, 1889.

ANDREW GRAY,
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Executor and Trustee under will of Joseph Spratt, deceased. jy22

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Wharf street, Victoria, July 25th, 1889. jy25-1m


## A VISITOR'S VIEWS.

### An Eastern Clergyman on British Columbia and its Resources.

### Our Timber and Mineral Wealth —First Duty of the Government.

Rev. Mr. Cumberland, of Amherst Island, Ontario, has been spending several weeks in Victoria and on Vancouver Island, and being a close observer of men and things in general, he has formed some very strong opinions about the country, and especially about its natural resources in timber and minerals. Believing that it is sometimes profitable to "see ourselves as others see us," a representative of the TIMES interviewed Mr. Cumberland on Monday evening and asked him to afford our readers the privilege of seeing the country through his spectacles.

"I shall be delighted to do so," Mr. Cumberland replied, "but there are so many things to speak about that I am puzzled to know where to begin. A casual visitor cannot be the best judge. He cannot direct himself of predilections for his own country, and in pronouncing upon the place he is visiting is very apt to judge it from his own peculiar standpoint, or rather from impressions originating in a comparison unconsciously instituted with the district with which he is familiar."

Rep.—You know a good deal about the lumber district of eastern Ontario, and have seen what British Columbia possesses in that line. Now what do you think of our timber resources?

"No one can travel, even along the line of rail, without being impressed with the great timber resources of the country. Perhaps in no other country in the world are there such forests of pine, fir and cedar. These will certainly in the near future prove a vast source of revenue to the country if properly protected and husbanded. These cedar and fir trees, when manufactured make the most beautiful doors and other house fittings that I have ever seen. They need no paint for they possess natural shades of color both rich and varied. It is to be hoped that the government of your province will never commit the mistake made by the government of Ontario in opening up rich timber lands for settlers that Providence never intended for cultivation. These settlers burned the timber in the vain attempt to clear farms and were left the happy possessors in fee simple of sand and rocks, and when the government was being criticised for its prodigal timber policy, one of its supporters, imbued with more loyalty for his party than his country, coolly asked, "what has posterity ever done for us?"

Rep.—We are inclined to boast of our coal mines. Have you seen them?

"Yes, and a visit to the coal mines of Nanaimo, capable at present of an output of 2,000 tons daily of the very best bituminous coal, and situated within a stone's throw of ocean navigation, will convince the most skeptical that British Columbia is worthy to rank even now as first in this most important commercial product. One stands amazed as he thinks of ten or twelve thousand dollars a day being added to the net capital of this province from one industry alone. Then I understand that mountains of excellent iron ore lie not far from the coal mines, and that this is no matter for speculation, for the ore has already been tested. No doubt it will not be many years before smelting furnaces and rolling mills are erected not far from the spot where nature has dealt out to with so lavish a hand. As we hear of heavy machinery being shipped from the East at a great expense, one wonders that some enterprising capitalist has not made a move already."

Rep.—Would the manufacture of heavy machinery pay?

"In time it must. I suppose the Dominion government is anticipating some such move on the part of some of your moneyed men or it never would have put so heavy a duty on mining machinery. But some one may perhaps ask the question, should the government have done so? Well, I will give you my answer and you can take it for what it is worth. Should no manufacturer feel inclined to take advantage of the present favorable tariff, then by all means the government should remove the duty at present on mining machinery in order that miners may be placed in a position to develop the great mineral resources of the country. I know a gentleman who owns, it is said, one of the best gold mines in this province, but who is handicapped because of the present condition of matters, and it is likely that this mine will pass into the hands of foreign capitalists to be looked up for years to come on speculation, instead of being vigorously operated by the intelligent and capable owner."

Rep.—Don't you think our first care should be to develop our precious minerals?

"The very first duty both of the Dominion and provincial governments is to inaugurate a practical policy for developing the mineral resources of the province. It is not necessary to spend thousands in proving to the world that gold exists in British Columbia. The Chinaman who washed out the 23 oz. nugget last week, demonstrated that fact for all time. A little practical help by making the way as easy as possible for men who have opened mines in the way of encouraging them to get their stamp mills in operation is what is needed now."

Rep.—Have you given any attention to our schools?

"I have seen the papers upon which candidates for certificates have recently written, and I think they would compare favorably with those of any other province in the Dominion. Under your present efficient superintendent of education and those associated with him one can safely depend that your schools will continue to prosper. It is to be hoped that you will not soon make the mistake of exchanging a superintendent for a minister of education, and thus drag the school system into the mire of party politics."

Our reporter made a mental note here that our school system was already in the mire of party politics through the manipulation of a so-called "Minister of Education," but not wishing to convey an unfavorable impression, he did not undeceive the visitor. Changing the subject he asked Mr. Cumberland if he had inspected the museum.

"I have, and it is very good, indeed, for a young province, and reflects no small share of credit upon the curator, who is also a most accomplished taxidermist. If he is spared for ten years more British Columbia will be first on the continent both with number and excellence of her specimens of animals and birds."

Reporter—What impression have you formed about our climate?

"I understand from a pupil of Sir Morrell McKenzie, who is now practicing his profession in California, that Kamloops is a better sanitarium than California, there being no malaria at the former, and its climate possessing all the other advantages claimed for the latter. I look upon Kamloops as having a bright future in this respect."

**The Pianoforte.**

Miss Laura M. Adams, teacher of pianoforte, 84 Cadboro Bay road.

## SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

### Prize Fight—Watson and M'Intyre—Firemen's Tournament.

Michael Brennan and Tom Cleary are matched to fight on Sunday next, within ten miles of Port Townsend, for $500 a side.

SATURDAY'S RACE.

The half mile foot race between Tom Watson and Pete M'Intyre for $500 a side and the championship of the Pacific coast will take place at the Driving Park at 5 o'clock on Saturday afternoon.

INTERNATIONAL CRICKET MATCH.

The statement that the Tacoma cricket club will play the Victoria eleven on the 24th, has been received with favor by those interested in the game. It is a tradition in Kent, the home of cricket, that wherever hops grow, good cricket can likewise be produced, and accepting the tradition as being correct, Tacoma should have in time an eleven equal to any in the world, says the Tacoma *Ledger*. Whether the match will be played in Tacoma or in Victoria has not as yet been decided.

FIREMEN IN TRAINING.

The Queen City hose team of Seattle begin training this evening, in preparation for the coming firemen's tournament at Tacoma, in several events of which the team will enter. The team will train under the direction of Capt. Atterson and Robert Gillies, the company's trainer. The team will practice the wet, dry and New York tests, and the speed race. All the practicing will be done in North Seattle. The boys are already in shape, and are confident of coming off victorious.

THE AMERICAN MARKSMEN.

The Massachusetts marksmen occupied a back seat throughout the Wimbledon meeting. They were simply nowhere when placed on the same plane and shooting with the same rifle as the British volunteers. Private Farrow did manage to secure a small prize in the Albert, but then that is an easy rifle competition, in which he doubtless fired with his match rifle, and Sergeant Johnstone won another small prize in the Alfred. On Tuesday of last week the Duke of Cambridge visited the American camp, when Private Farrow showed him the Springfield rifle and explained its action.

THE RIFLE.

The following Victoria marksmen left for New Westminster this morning to attend the annual meeting of the B. C. Rifle Association: J. L. Beckwith, F. R. Burgison, J. C. Newbury, W. H. Cullin, A. Langley, B. Williams, C. W. Newbury, J. C. Cornish, Capt. Wollacott, H. Fleming, D. Duncan, C. Braund, Col. Wolfenden and F. Wolfenden. Capt. Fletcher, secretary of the association, went up Sunday night to see that the ranges were in readiness and everything ready for firing to proceed this morning. The event of the meeting will be concluded on Friday.

LACROSSE.

The lacrosse club will hold a meeting this evening at Messrs. Hall & Lowe's, at 8 p. m. sharp. Everybody turn out.

FIREMEN'S TOURNAMENT.

The Tacoma firemen are elated over the prospects of having the grandest firemen's tournament in their city next September that has ever been held on the Pacific coast. Some say it will not be excelled by anything of the kind ever held outside of New York city. Prizes ranging from $50 to $1,000 will be offered. The amount to be expended in prizes alone will foot up nearly $5,000.

Chief Exiony has prepared the following list of prizes to be offered: Firemen's hose cart race, to lay hose and shower with the hydrant and throw water: First prize $1,000; second prize, $300; third prize, $100.

Dry test hose race, same as above without connection being made with the hydrant: First prize $400; second prize, $200; third prize, $100.

Running hose cart straight away: First prize, $350; second prize, $100; third prize, $50.

Northwestern Firemen's association hose race, consisting of the laying of 250 feet of hose, turning on the water, shutting off water, and then changing the position of section one and four of the hose (each section being fifty feet in length) and again turning on the water. First prize $500; second prize, $200; third prize, $100.

Hook and ladder race: First prize, $500; second prize, $200; third prize, $100.

LOOKING FOR SCALPS.

The members of the Bradford baseball club of Nanaimo are endeavoring to arrange a game of baseball with the James Bays of Victoria, on the day of the firemen's picnic in Nanaimo, which is next Saturday.

## EMPEROR WILLIAM

### Visits the War Vessels—Review a Brilliant Success.

London, Aug. 4.—The rush from London, and in fact from all over the kingdom, for Portsmouth is something unprecedented, and the railway officials are in despair. To-morrow morning, when of course the crowds going to witness the naval review will be greater yet, it is doubtful if half the intending sightseers will be able to secure transportation. Every available coach and locomotive in England has been pressed into the service; but it is doubtful if all combined will be sufficient to meet the demand, and thousands of disappointed ones will be compelled to remain at home.

Emperor William has conferred upon the Queen the honorary command of the First Dragoon Regiment of Guards of Berlin, and upon the Duke of Cambridge the honorary colonelcy of a regiment of infantry. The conferment of an honorary British admiral, which the Queen has conferred upon the Emperor, is the first instance of the kind since Frederick the Great received the distinction.

Emperor William, accompanied by the Prince of Wales and his eldest son, Prince Albert Victor, inspected several of the English warships to-day, selecting a representative vessel of each of the several classes for their visits. At the conclusion of the inspection the party returned to Osborne for dinner, which was a strictly family affair. The Emperor, while visiting the English war vessels, wore the undress uniform of a British admiral. The war vessel Teutonia was a prominent object of interest. The distinguished company on board that vessel loudly applauded her electrical appliances, by means of which to-night she was suddenly thrown into a blaze of light.

Portsmouth, Aug. 5.—The review of the British fleet began at 4 o'clock this afternoon, and took place in a high wind. The weather had cleared, however, and the review was a brilliant success. At its conclusion Emperor William received all the admirals on board his own yacht, and tendered them his congratulations.

**Sugar Refinery Closed.**

The Toronto *Mail* announces that the "St. Lawrence Sugar Refinery Co., of Montreal, have decided to close down their large factory for two or three weeks, owing to the dullness in the sugar trade." This refinery has supplied the bulk of the sugar used in this province for some time past.

**Arrived.**

Bass XXXX Ale (Lamb's Woo!) at the Occidental Hotel bar.


Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.


## TO-DAY'S DISPATCHES.

### Edmund Yates' Usual Weekly Gossip—The Queen and the German Emperor.

### Boulanger Will Go to New York if Extradition is Attempted —Maybrick Case.

By Postal Telegraph.)

New York, Aug. 6.—Edmund Yates' London cable to the *Tribune* says the Queen's rheumatism has not left her and she was advised under these circumstances that the naval review would tax her strength too much. Her Majesty was nothing loth to stay away, as she cannot bear the noise of salutes fired from ships and having the emperor, she could not dispense with salutes as she did at the Jubilee naval review. It is said on the best authority that it was not considered desirable for political as well as family reasons that the German emperor should come to London. The family relations are more easy at present, and he and the Prince of Wales have met and been quite friendly; still the family party at Osborne can hardly be very happy ones, apart from the feeling of sorenes which rankles in the mind of the Queen and the Prince as to his conduct to the Empress Frederick. The Emperor does not like Princess Beatrice's marriage to Prince Henry of Battenberg, regarding it as the Germans do, a *mesalliance*. Prince and Princess Christian are at Osborne and will no doubt help to make matters easy for the Emperor. The Prince of Wales goes to Homburg next week and thence to Denmark. In the course of his continental wanderings he will certainly visit the German emperor, who I hear has invited His Royal Highness to attend the Autumn manoeuvres early next month in Westphalia and Hanover, one feature being a review of the field of Minden.

A great many distinguished passengers have booked places on the new s. s. Teutonic, which sets out on Wednesday.

FIRE RECORD.

Cincinnati, Aug. 6.—Lockman's brewery, West Sixth street, near Hoadley, was discovered on fire at 5:30 o'clock yesterday morning. Eight fire companies promptly responded to the alarm, but did not arrive until the whole of the out houses and wagon sheds were in a blaze. Water was poured into the buildings in great quantities with but little effect on the flames. They spread rapidly and it was not twenty minutes after the fire was discovered until the whole building was enveloped in flames, which soon communicated to stables in which were several horses, but the animals were taken out without trouble. The stair way of the malt house was burned but the fire in this department was extinguished with no great loss. Lockman will probably lose $60,000, his ice machinery alone is said to have cost $20,000 and this is a total loss.

TRADE EXPANSION.

Caracas, Venezuela, Aug. 6.—An English company is having two steamships constructed at Glasgow for a line to be established between this port and New York.

OBITUARY.

New York, Aug. 6.—A great many people in and out of the city of London will regret the death of Mr Robert Wigram-Crawford, who had been a director of the Bank of England for nearly forty years, in which term he had also been a member for the city, as was his father before him. His fine figure, he was 6 feet four, admirable manner and high spirit will not readily be forgotten. Mr. Crawford did not often figure on the public platform, except at the Mansion House.

BOULANGER AND EXTRADITION.

London, Aug. 6.—General Boulanger says he has decided to remain in London unless his extradition is demanded, in which case he will sail for New York.

ABSCONDER CAUGHT.

San Francisco, Aug. 6.—Moses Dautch, the stockbroker clerk, who absconded with a large amount of money last week, was arrested at Boulder Creek, south of San Francisco, yesterday, and will be brought back to-day.

TWO DEATHS.

London, Aug. 6.—Madame La Marechalle De Canrobert died suddenly in Paris this morning.

General Philips Hovide, conquerer of Bosnia, is dead at Prague from apoplexy.

DON'T WANT HER.

New York, Aug. 6.—A dispatch from Ottawa this morning says that the Minister of Customs Bowell is of opinion that the United States will not demand the surrender of the sealer Black Diamond.

THE POET LAUREATE.

London, Aug. 6.—Lord Tennyson is 80 years of age to day. He has recovered from his recent illness and is in fair health.

ENGLISH WHEAT CROPS.

London, Aug. 6.—Rains are general throughout England, doing serious damage to wheat. Complete official reports of the wheat harvest in India show a shortage of seven hundred thousand tons under the average. Reports from Egypt say cotton prospects throughout that country are excellent.

MAYBRICK TRIAL.

Liverpool, Aug. 6.—In the trial of Mrs Maybrick, for the murder of her husband, the judges are to-day summing up the evidence and the charge to the jury is in favor of the defendant.

NOVA SCOTIA'S CROPS.

Halifax, Aug. 5.—The annual report of the Secretary of Agriculture on the provincial crops has been completed, and shows a state of affairs highly satisfactory. The season has been a remarkably favorable one for the growth of the crops.

THE NEGROES CELEBRATE.

Toronto, Aug. 5.—Emancipation was celebrated to-day most enthusiastically by the colored people of Canada. Large demonstrations were held here and at Whitby, Sandwich, Chatham and Owen Sound. Michigan and Ohio were well represented at Sandwich.

SHORT AND SOLID.

St. John, N. B., Aug. 5.—The will of the late Jas. Lamb, of Sussex, bequeathing some $30,000 worth of property to his widow and son, was admitted to probate to-day. The document consists of five lines on a piece of note paper, duly witnessed, etc. Lawyers say it is as solid a will as was ever drawn up, and cannot be attacked for vagueness.

## THE RIFLE MEETING.

### The Scores in the First Match. Range 200 Yards.

New Westminster Rifle Range, Brownsville, Aug. 6.—The first match was open to all members of the Association, range 200 yards, seven shots. Following is the score:

| | SCORE. | PRIZE. |
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| T J Trapp, N W R | 32 | $10 00 |
| R Chamberlain, N W R | 32 | 5 00 |
| J L Beckwith, V G A | 32 | 3 00 |
| H Fleming, V G A | 32 | 3 00 |
| Pt. Frost, N W R | 31 | 4 00 |
| Gr Winsby, V G A | 31 | 3 50 |
| Gr Langley, V G A | 31 | 3 00 |
| F Wolfenden, V G A | 31 | 2 50 |
| J C Newbury, V G A | 30 | 2 50 |
| Pt McCallum, Vanc | 30 | 2 00 |

Shooting commenced at one o'clock this afternoon. The air is very smoky, caused by bush fires. In the match fired four thirties were counted out.

## DERVISHES ROUTED.

### Great Victory for the Egyptians—1,500 Dervishes Killed.

London, Aug. 6.—England is drawing a long breath of relief to-day after the news of the complete rout of her enemies in Egypt on the banks of the Nile early yesterday morning. Further details of the battle received here to-day describe it as a scene of revolting slaughter, such as could scarcely occur where both combatants are civilized soldiers. Nor does the responsibility for the butchery rest on the English troops and their Egyptian allies. Long after the fate of the day had been decided, after all hope of recovering their lost ground must have been abandoned by the fanatical Dervishes, they continued to hurl themselves upon their foes, only to be mercilessly mowed down. They refused all quarter and gave none; but with a grim determination that knew but two issues to a fight—"Victory or death." They fought as bravely and stubbornly, when the deadly fire of their enemies had cut great swathes in their ranks and when their every movement was hampered by the piled up bodies of their own dead, as when at first, with an unbroken front and confident of victory, they faced their foes. It was while leading the scattered remnants of his brave warriors on this forlorn hope that the Dervishes leader, Wad-el-N-Jumi, fell, pierced by a bullet in his brain. His followers, nothing daunted by his fate, dashed themselves over and over again upon the pitiless and unbroken line of rifle barrels in front of them, and kept up the fight long after every vestige of organization among them had been destroyed, and when nothing was left the scattered fanatics but to sell their lives as dearly as possible. So it followed that fully one-half of the invader's force was left dead upon the field. The small number of fighting men which Wad-el N-Jumi brought into the engagement is a complete surprise. All estimates heretofore credited him with an available force of no less than 6 000 men, while it turns out that he could not at any time have had more than half that number. The whole dervish force is now completely wiped out, and all immediate danger of an invasion from that quarter is at an end.

Cairo, Aug. 4.—The official report of Gen. Greenfell of the battle near Toski, yesterday, has been received here. According to this report, the dervishes were themselves out by desperate and repeated charges. The brunt of the assault was borne by the infantry line of the 12th hussars, but the Egyptian horse artillery rendered excellent service. The report places the number of fighting men brought into the field by Wad-el-N-Jumi as 3,000. The British troops will return to Cairo at once, there being no further need for their services on the threatened frontier.

Cairo, Aug. 5.—General Greenfell telegraphs that he has made a reconnoissance and found that Saturday's battle completely dispersed the Dervish army. Out of a force of 3,000 men which Wad-El-N-Jumi took into battle only a few remain, and these are being pursued by the Egyptian cavalry, and a column under Colonel Wadehouse has gone to Abu-Simbet to head off the retreating Dervishes. Every emir in the Dervish army was killed except one. The bodies of several hundred Dervishes and a large number of wounded, making a thousand in all, have been brought into Toski. Refugees are arriving in that town. The Egyptian loss in Saturday's battle was 17 killed and 140 wounded. Three British soldiers were wounded.

A force of Egyptian troops have occupied Sarras. A garrison will be permanently maintained at that point to guard against a repetition of the Dervish rising. Fully 2,000 of Wad El-N-Jumi's followers submitted to-day to the British troops on the frontier. They will be taken to Cairo immediately.

## THE DUAL LANGUAGE.

### The Double-barrelled System to be Wiped Out.

Winnipeg, Aug. 6.—In the Liberal picnic at Clearwater yesterday, the Hon. Mr. Smart said—It was the government's intention to overhaul the whole educational machine, the double-barrelled system must be abolished; the two superintendents, the two boards, and two sets of inspectors must go, and a minister of education will be appointed, "a present minister taking the portfolio of minister of education," who would administer the educational department, and be responsible to the people. The change would enable ministers to greatly increase the grants, towards the support of schools, and would be a great benefit to taxpayers.

## THE URSULINE ORDER.

### The 215th Anniversary of the Founding of the Order in Canada.

Quebec, Aug. 1.—The triduum commemorating the two hundred and fifteenth anniversary of the founding of the Ursuline order in Canada began this morning by a solemn mass and was celebrated with unusual grandeur. The church of the Ursuline Convent (where Montcalm expired) was resplendent with decorations and tapers. The band of B Battery was in attendance. When Cardinal Taschereau entered attended by several bishops of his palace the band played the Pontifical march. Lieut-Governor Angers also attended service in state. Several Protestant gentlemen and ministers were invited and attended the service.

**Supt. Roycraft.**

A contemporary in the confidence of the government, having published an item to the effect that Supt. Roycraft's absence was causing considerable anxiety among his friends, a reporter of the TIMES made enquiries respecting him to-day. Differences of opinion were found to exist among his friends as to whether he will return or not. Some think he will, others think he will not. Debts amounting to a considerable sum stand against him, but they are not such as to be insuperable barriers to his return. Some of his friends say that he may have gone off on a still hunt which he could not very well report to the newspapers. Others say that he has gone to meet his daughter. Having left the city ostensibly to go to Granite Creek on official business he was considerably out of his road when seen at Banff the second day after he left here. Supt. Roycraft was popular and always lived well up to his income. Being open-handed and warm hearted he has always made many friends, who do not now wish to think ill of him unless they are compelled to.

**The Seizure.**

As all manner of rumors were floating around to-day in respect to the Black Diamond, a reporter called upon Mr. Edgar Marvin, U. S. Vice-Consul, and Collector Hamley to ascertain if anything new had transpired.

Mr. Marvin said there was nothing new. He thought the American government would have held on to the schooner if they wanted her.

Collector Hamley said some had spoken about arresting the Rush's blue jacket and prosecuting him for piracy, but he thought it was a foolish and dangerous proceeding. People must be patient. The blue jacket merely obeyed the orders of his superior officer. He had reported to Ottawa both by telegram and by letter. The government were anxious to dispose of this matter but if they did anything they should be careful first to obtain good advice.

## TO THE TIMES ONLY.

### Dalton McCarthy in the Prairie Province—He Expatiates on the Jesuits.

### The Halifax Carnival—Great Championship Lacrosse Match.

(Special to THE TIMES.)

Portage la Prairie, Aug. 6—A rousing reception was given to Dalton McCarthy M. P., in the town hall last night. Mr. McCarthy reviewed the history of the Jesuit question speaking nearly an hour and a half. He was glad to see the announcement of a measure in the Manitoba legislature next session dealing with the dual language. The speaker had pledged himself to move in the commons for the expunging of the dual language from the Northwest Territories Act.

CHARGE OF ARSON.

Aug. 6—P. V. Georgeo, A prominent lawyer in this town has been summoned to answer to a charge of arson.

THE HALIFAX CARNIVAL.

Halifax, Aug. 6—The first day of the summer carnival was blessed with fine weather, excepting during a short time in the evening, when showers fell. The afternoon was devoted to the regatta which was witnessed by an enormous crowd. The professional events, only, were concluded. The city is beautifully decorated.

SMALL FINE.

Kingston, Ont, Aug. 6—Q. Moore, late clerk in the post office here, who was charged with unlawfully opening a letter was tried this afternoon before Judge Price and fined $25 and costs.

MERCIER ILL.

Montreal, Aug. 6—Hon. Premier Mercier is confined to his house here on account of illness.

NINETIETHS VICTORIOUS.

Winnipeg, Aug. 6—The great championship lacrosse match took place at Brandon, yesterday, the Ninetieths of Winnipeg winning 2 games to 1.

**Scientific.**

The July number of the *West American Scientist* contains an article from the pen of M. Lopatecki on "The Republic of Salvador." The description of this tropical country is nicely written and may be read with interest.

## FROM OTTAWA.

### Official Information of the Black Diamond Affair Just Received.

(Special to THE TIMES.)

Ottawa, Aug 6.—Hon. McKenzie Bowell, Minister of Customs, received a dispatch to-day from Collector of Customs Hamley at Victoria, giving particulars of the seizure and arrival of the sealing schooner Black Diamond at Victoria.

## PERSONAL.

### Items Telling of Movements of Well Known Persons.

Dr. F. F. De Darky, of San Francisco, was a passenger from the south yesterday afternoon and left this morning for Vancouver to take a look at that city, which he predicts is the coming city. If pleased with it he will return at a future date to permanently locate. In the meantime he will visit Montreal, Boston, and then go south to Florida for a spell. He greatly admired Victoria, and at a cursory glance imagined "it must be a rich city by its looks and that of its people".

Mrs. W. B. Townsend and son, of New Westminster, are in the city, guests at the Douglas House. They will remain for one week.

The Rev. Philip Wood, who has been assisting the archdeacon of Columbia at Holy Trinity, New Westminster, during the past year, will return to England some time this month for another years' experience in old country work, after which he will return permanently for work in the same diocese. During his stay in Westminster Rev. Mr. Woods has made himself a general favorite, and it is with deep regret his many friends learn of his intended departure.

Capt. Urquhart returned from Vancouver last evening on the steamer R. P. Rithet.

F. B. Pemberton was a passenger from New Westminster last night on the steamer Rithet.

G. B. Wright returned from the mainland last evening on the steamer Rithet.

Capt. McIntyre, of the ship Richard III, arrived from Vancouver last night. He was second officer on the Marquis of Bute which arrived here in 1854 with a cargo for the Hudson's Bay Company.

Rev. J. C. Cumberland, who occupied the pulpit of the First Presbyterian Church last Sunday, left for the east this morning.

Mrs. Hendry, wife of ex Mayor Hendry of Westminster, is rusticating for a few days at Sooke. Mrs. Neville and Miss Bowman, of this city are also visiting friends in that district.

Miss Flora Fraser, daughter of the Rev. D. Fraser, leaves on Thursday morning for Beaver Point, Salt Spring Island, where she has been engaged as teacher of the public school.

Rev. J. Field, who arrived from the east a few days ago, is bound for Hazelton, Skeena River, to engage in missionary work.

Alex. Dunsmuir, who has been in San Francisco for a month, returned last night.

H. Croft, M. P. P., returned last night from the Sound after an absence of ten days.

Messrs. W. J. Goepel and L. T. Davis have gone on a hunting and fishing excursion to Cameron Lake.

Ald. Reid, one of New Westminster's energetic city fathers, is in the city. The Royal city, he says, is going ahead steadily. The temporary difficulty with the New Westminster Southern is in respect to two agreements. The railway company proposes that the money shall be paid over under the old agreement while the money was tied under the new and the council insists that it shall be paid under the conditions of the latter.

Mr. W. Lorse, of Marion county, California, relative of Mr. W. E. Lorse, of this city, arrived from San Francisco last night. Mr. Lorse is a large fruit grower, having three hundred acres in orchard. He is very favorably impressed with fruit-growing possibilities of the country contiguous to Victoria and is surprised that our farmers cannot see it as he does.

Capt. Christensen, the late popular and skilful commander of the tugs Alexander and Pilot, will leave for San Francisco in a day or so on the steamer Wellington, sailing from Departure Bay. After active service of 25 years the captain will, no doubt, enjoy his well earned rest. On return he will assume command of the ing Lorne.

**Deaths in Nanaimo.**

Malcolm McIver, aged 34 years, died at Nanaimo last night of pleuro-pneumonia. Deceased was a Mason.

On Sunday morning, Joseph King, a moulder, died suddenly of apoplexy. Deceased was 63 years of age.


Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

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### THE ELECTION.

Sheriff McMillan, returning officer, has issued his proclamation appointing Thursday, 15th day of August, for the election of a representative in the legislature, necessitated by the acceptance of the office of Attorney-General by Mr. Theo. Davie. In the event of more than one candidate being nominated, a poll will be opened on Wednesday, 21st inst., at Philharmonic Hall, Fort street. The government evidently are of opinion, however slow they may be in other things, that it is not wise to defer an election in Victoria. They are, we think, to be commended for their promptitude in calling the electors together at such an early date, and we hope they will follow the precedent now established in all future vacancies.

### THEO.

Theo, it is said, is on the war path, the Attorney Generalship bee in his bonnet buzzing merrily. In the House last winter Theo's oratory was not distinguished for lucidity, the ponderosity of his ideas, particularly when he was trying to checkmate Mr. Beaven, seemingly having crushed his vocabulary into mere verbal pulp. Theo's ambiguity, however trying as it was to Mr. Speaker, was just as effective as Mr. Beaven's conciseness or Mr. Bole's clear cut sentences, and for the reason that the government members were prepared to support any measure in the interest of the government, had they been addressed in Sanscrit. So long as it is pre-ordained that government measures are bound to carry whether justified by common sense or not, Theo's hazy oratory is of little moment, and indeed, considering the character of the government's record, it is just as well that none of its members are possessed of clearness of speech, else they might give themselves away. There are occasions when ambiguity is golden and lucidity is silver, and when the House is sitting this rule is peculiarly applicable. Theo is just the man to extract from ambiguity a golden dividend. He possesses the happy knack of filling the public ear with diffuse vacuity. The government has need of such a man. Stick to it Theo, you are not bound to say anything to criminate yourself!

### CANADIAN AND AMERICAN INSTITUTIONS.

Senator Hoar, in a recent speech, remarked (alluding to British Columbia and Manitoba) that "they do not get settled up under Canadian institutions," and the Montreal Herald, treating of the matter under the head of an "Explanation of It," arraigns Sir John Macdonald, and denies that Canadian institutions are troubled with an "inherent disease" which repels instead of attracts emigration. It may seem presumptuous for us to differ from a journal of the calibre of the Herald, but we are no less bound to remark that to attribute to Sir John the slow settlement of British Columbia is not warranted by the conditions which govern such matters. Anyone who has ever undertaken to study the mystery of the popularity of the States, not alone with European but Canadian emigrants as well, must have arrived at the conclusion, that the political institutions of that country combined with climate, were the paramount causes. The greater mass of emigrants are an illiterate people, not given to political refinements, and it is not an easy matter to make them understand that the colony of an empire exemplifies a democracy as radical as that of which the United States to-day is the chief exemplar. But why should Canadians who understand the political situation of Canada seek an asylum in the States. The answer comes under two heads, political, and financial. Democracy, as expressed by "responsible government," although a practical abandonment of the monarchical form as compared with democracy in the States is a conservative affair. The qualifying difference lies in the appointive versus the elective power. In Canada the appointive power descends to a constable and a justice of the peace; in the United States all this is elective. Take for instance the county officials of the State of California, constables, justices of the peace, sheriffs, county clerks (government agents), surveyors, school superintendents, supervisors, treasurers, district attorneys, county judges, etc., are all elected. These officials derive power directly from the people, in Canada it is indirect. We have nothing to say of the merits of the American system; we shall say only that it is popular, and that as tenure of office never extends over a period of four years, unless re-elected, an official aristocracy is impossible. Mrs. Sheriff Brown and Mrs. Judge Jones cannot afford to affect social superiority because at some time or another these ladies must resume their places in the ranks of the people. Our political field is circumscribed compared with that of the United States. Our system we believe to be the best, but the American system catches the fancy. It is full of possibilities for the most humble. The whole secret of political success in the United States lies in supposed merit and popularity. In the matter of finance, eastern capital has built up the west. The original settlers of the west were not monied men. Their possessions as a rule did not exceed a few hundred dollars, a team, a camp outfit and a pair of blankets. But they could borrow money. Thousands of men in the west have put in crops in debt up to their ears. Capital had confidence and borrowers proved themselves worthy of it. These financial conditions have not been in operation in Canada to the wholesale extent that has characterized the Western states. With regard to British Columbia. Since five years past the question of irrigation has been agitated, but no definite steps were taken until last year. The government, enterprising and fully alive to the advantages which would accrue from the development of the agricultural lands of the province, appropriated the magnificent sum of $3,000 for experimenting with artesian wells. The sum was not sufficient to purchase the machinery, not to mention operating expenses, so obsolete machinery was employed, and after boring all summer the distance to the antipodes was shortened by nearly 130 feet. This year the government, goaded by this paper, (not another paper in the province favoring the prosecution of the experiment) $5000 was appropriated, a sum not large enough by half, to purchase effective machinery, and the chances are no boring will be done this year, for if the same machinery is to be employed that was used last year it would be cheaper to sink shafts. So everything considered it is not at all surprising that "they do not get settled under Canadian institutions," at least in British Columbia, and whether there is anything inherently wrong with Canadian institutions, or whether these institutions are abused by political quacks, we leave for wiser persons to decide.

### CARDINAL GIBBONS' BOOK.

In the light of the almost savage opposition to the Jesuit estates bill, an opposition which must arouse foreboding in the minds of thoughtful persons, it is reassuring to note that Cardinal Gibbons' book, "Our Christian Heritage," is free "from polemics and full of salutary lessons." This cardinal has long been noted for what the Americans call his Americanism, being an American citizen and an advocate of democratic institutions. His book, consequently, has more than passing interest, as it must sound the key note of Conservative Catholicism in America. According to the reviewer, the cardinal "does not deal with the controversies agitated since the reformation nor aim at vindicating the claims of the Catholic Church as superior to those of the separated branches of Christianity." It has nothing to say against any Christian denomination which still retains faith in the divine mission of Jesus Christ. The book was written with no other view than to establish the truth of Christianity. It furnishes Christians with arguments to meet the sophistries of free thinkers. As for Buddhism, anism now exciting considerable interest in the eastern states, and which has acquired many converts in the past few years, the Cardinal's opinion is that it contains no good feature which is not found in the Christian religion. Such a book as this, coming from so eminent an ecclesiastic, cannot fail to soften the asperities of conflicting religious beliefs. We regard the appearance of the book auspicious, and if it has the effect intended by the reverend author, those who have indulged in the Micawberish propensity that something would turn up to lessen the denominational tension of the hour will have, reason to congratulate themselves of being possessed of so dubious a foible.

### RENTS.

Seattle landlords, characteristically of their kind the world over, have declined to declare a rebate in rents which were paid them in advance, and subsequently were forfeited by the fire. Certain tenants paid a landlord rent in advance, amounting to $180. Later, fire consumed the premises and the tenants requested that a portion of the rent be refunded, inasmuch as by reason of the premises being destroyed they had not received any value for their money. This the landlord refused to do, and the case was taken to the courts. The plaintiffs won, as might have been expected, but the curious feature of the case is that the legal points involved have no precedent in the whole history of jurisprudence in point. The case, it is said, will be appealed, as in the other cases which will eventuate thousands of dollars are involved.

### FAST ATLANTIC SERVICE

The signing, says the Week, of the contract for the fast Atlantic service undertaken by the Messrs Anderson may fairly be regarded as the opening of a new chapter in the commercial history of the Dominion. This is the more apparent from the fact that the arrangement in question is to be followed up by other contracts of a similar kind, except in respect to speed, for the running of steamboat lines to the Antipodes, and others to various points in the West Indies and South America. The policy is undoubtedly a bold one. The subsidies are large and will be a heavy additional drain upon an exchequer not over plethoric. But the boldest policy, if well considered and energetically carried out, is not unfrequently the best and safest. Without being over sanguine we may hope that the results in this case will vindicate the sagacity of the government. It was evident that something must be done. The era of over-production was setting in, and the necessity for finding other and larger markets becoming imperative. English statesmen took a bold step when they repealed the Corn Laws and abolished other taxes on food. The result was, as Mr. Gladstone reminded a Cardiff audience the other day, that the commerce of the country had been multiplied five-fold, capital had been largely increased and wages had gone up fifty per cent. Many will have serious doubts as to the possibility of producing similar results by the reverse process, viz., putting heavy taxes on importations and using the funds thus procured to subsidize steamships in the hope of stimulating importation as well as exportation. But the country having adopted the National Policy, and being resolved, seemingly to maintain it, it could scarcely do better in the way of giving it a further trial than to strike out boldly for a larger share in the world's commerce. Should these enterprises succeed in creating a large and profitable foreign commerce, Canadians will be enabled to congratulate themselves on having seen farther than their neighbours, and, not content with following them in their restrictive policy, gone further and won success at the very point where the Great Republic has conspicuously failed. It is yet too soon, however, to make the boast.

### THE GERMAN ARMY.

Karl Blind discussing the German army in the North American Review thus accounts for its necessity. "By the new law, owing to the recent threatening aspect of the European situation in the East and West, the standing army of Germany has been brought up to upwards of 500,000, —or 550,000, if the men on leave, liable to immediate recall, are added. In case of war, this body can be brought up, by calling in the first reserves, to upwards of 1,050,000 men. For operative purposes a further addition of upwards of 1,310,000 men may be made through the Landwher. If the supplementary reserve is put on its legs, this would give a further force of 1,465,000. Total in round numbers, 3,800,000 men. But if the Landstrum also were called out, nearly 6,500,000 men would be under arms! The prospect is a saddening one. At Germany's eastern flank, however, Russia professes to be able to raise an army of 10,000,000 men. On Germany's western flank, France may call out more than 4,000,000. Being between two Powers of historically aggressive character, Germany cannot disarm before the others do, though the heaviness of the armour presses on her most weightily. It is for her a question of national existence or extinction. From these figures we must infer that there is no moral force in Europe which operates against war, and that physical considerations only prevent the nations from destroying each other. It might be supposed, however, that the sense of physical danger which incites the support of immense standing armies to the manifest detriment of industrial pursuits would operate to cause their disbandment. If the deterrent cause of war is the perfection of warlike arrangements, there should be in lack of preparation an equivalent deterrent. We all know that those who are unprepared to fight are the least liable to engage in it, and hence it is the rankest nonsense to maintain that standing armies are the best guarantee of peace. Men are pugnacious, but are at the same time are cautious and a condition which would conduce to the restraining of the fighting instinct insures resort to arbitration. But while the fighting instinct lives, and vanity contributes to shape the policy of governments, standing armies, superfluous as they may be, will never cease to exist, although it is possible that after another great war in Europe nations bleeding and impoverished will come to regard the game as too expensive and so model their policy as to make war impossible until all of the resources of negotiation have been exhausted.

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15th June, 1889. jy25 Barrister-at-Law

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In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

Between
JOSEPH BOSCOWITZ, Plaintiff,
and
JAMES WARREN, Defendant.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN Order has been made in the above mentioned action, by the Hon. Sir Matthew Begbie, C. J., appointing James C. Prevost Receiver of all the Estate and Effects of the above named defendant, to take possession of the real estate and receive and collect the personal estate, and to manage and conduct his business, and to restrain the defendant and all other persons from interfering with him as such Receiver.

JAMES C. PREVOST,
Dated, Victoria, February 18th, 1889. my18

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## GRANITE CREEK GRIEVANCES.

To the Editor of The Times.

Sir,—Having exhausted every other available resource to, it would appear thus far, a futile endeavor to redress our many grievances, Provincial and Dominion, we have now to have recourse to the independent press—"The terror of tyrants, the tongue of nations"—to ventilate our grievances. Though we have much to complain of from the tardiness and apathy of the local government in carrying out the expressed and almost unanimous wish of the public, relative to the management of affairs here, which will, no doubt, be given to the public in due time and with no "uncertain sound," the present writing will deal with partial matters.

While the P. O. Inspector has not turned a deaf ear to the numerous irregularities reported to him, his replies and actions appear to be more in the "whitewashing" direction than in the interests of justice. One of numerous matters brought before the P. O. Inspector is this: A letter was received here by a merchant, Lee Chong, on May 4th, 1889, from myself, merchant, then in England. Here are the facts as proven by postoffice marks when received, which will be certified to by reliable witnesses: Bedford, England, March 5th; Kamloops, March 23rd; Granite Creek, April 6th; Princeton, April 7th; received at Granite Creek May 4th. Complaint was made, in substance, as follows: "F. P. Cook and Lee Chong do business extensively here, the latter buying from and through the former. F. P. Cook's handwriting cannot but be familiar to the postmaster here, himself a merchant. Why stamp such a letter here April 6th, forward it to Princeton, twelve miles below here, have it returned, without again stamping it on its return, and detain it here until May 4th?"

The envelope was sent to the Postoffice Inspector, who returned it to the postmaster here for an explanation. On receipt of such explanation, he (P. O. I.) returns the envelope to F. P. Cook with Granite Creek postmark April 6th changed by the insertion of a very indistinct 2, partly covering the "p" of "Ap" so as to make it appear April 26th. Here is a copy of the Postoffice Inspector's letter:

Post Office Inspector's Office,
Victoria, 15th July, 1889.

Dear Sir,—I have made enquiry into the alleged delay of the letter, envelope enclosed, mailed by you at Bedford on 5th March addressed to Lee Chong,
Cattle,
Nicola Valley, B.C.

Received by person addressed on the 4th May as per endorsement.

I regret so very satisfactory explanation can be made, though it would appear that the P. M. Cattle handed this letter to the courier who evidently carried it through to Princeton where it remained until the 26th April, when the clerk says Lee Chong states he has suffered no inconvenience in the matter. Yours truly,

(Signed) E. H. Fletcher,
P. O. Inspector.

Mr. F. P. Cook, Granite Creek.

(Cert. No. 1). We hereby certify that we examined letter addressed to Lee Chong and delivered here May 4th. We found Granite Creek stamp plainly and unmistakably April 6th. Have again examined it since its return to Mr. Cook and find it has been tampered with.

(Signed) A. Irwin,
Jas. Wallace,
R. Thomas.

(Cert. No. 2) I hereby certify that I was a witness to statement signed by Lee Chong at the urgent request of the Post Master, Granite Creek, and that he did say that he had "suffered no inconvenience" in the matter.

(Signed) R. Thomas.

I remain, yours truly,
Fitzgowler P. Cook.

Granite Creek, B.C., July 29th, 1889.

## ABOUT DIVORCE

### Peculiarities of Divorce Laws in Rhode Island.

In the strict sense of the term, says the New York *World's* Newport, Rhode Island correspondent, the administration of the divorce law of Rhode Island has never been lax. The law is liberal but the requirements have to be rigorously complied with. Divorce can be obtained on a variety of grounds, beginning on what clergymen call "scriptural cause," and ending in any other conduct repugnant to and in violation of the marriage contract. A specific charge, as the violation of marital vows, desertion, common drunkenness, cruelty, etc., is made, and the indefinite charge is then rivetted on in order to strengthen the proceeding.

The average cost of a divorce proceeding in Rhode Island is $40—that is, when all is smooth sailing and the party of the other part is not likely to put in any uncomfortable objections. If there is a fight, of course the cost is proportioned to the cost and exhaustiveness of the contest. But the large majority of divorce cases are undefended, and of those defended the defense is often merely pro forma in order to hasten the decree. It is a wholesome rule of the Supreme Court to be very slow in issuing decrees in undefended cases, in order that if the rights of defendants have been injured in the proceedings, the delay may give a chance to right the wrong ere it is too late.

A lawyer who has obtained more than five hundred divorces said to the writer: "The great trouble with us lawyers is to get our clients to tell us the truth. Many a case is lost which might have been won simply because the woman—for women are generally the plaintiffs—seem to think that their lawyer will despise them if they give all the facts, when, in truth, he does not care a probibitory note about their reputation, and is only anxious to win the case. * * * *

"In the large majority of divorce cases," "the parties have long been separated, and the legal decree simply gives them a chance to find other partners; for in Rhode Island there is no restriction on the marriage of either plaintiff or defendant."

The judges of the supreme court are said to differ considerably in their dealings with divorce suits. Chief Justice Durfee is neither severe nor liberal; Justice Stiness, a devoted Episcopalian and church member, requires rigid proof; Justice Tillinghast is also very strict; Justice Matteson is reported to be easy, not in the sense of laxity, but is satisfied with legal proof and does not strain the law to prevent a separation. While the court has the right to weigh the evidence the law leaves it no choice if satisfied that the evidence is sufficient. It provides that the judges "shall" (not "may") grant the divorce. This provision of the law is often overlooked by critics.

There is no reasonable doubt that a good deal of exaggerated, if not entirely false, testimony is presented in order to establish a case. One suit was that of a wife against a husband, charging him with cruelty. The husband really liked the wife. She was a city girl, he a countryman of the woodenhead type. She fell in love with another man in the city, and wanted a separation from her "bressed" spouse. He at first resisted, but finally agreed not to object. He was charged with cruelty, and the evidence was of such a character that, according to a local paper, it showed him to be "a demon." Of course the Supreme Court would not keep an ordinary flesh-and-blood woman tied to a "demon," and the divorce was granted. The following day the ex-wife visited her ex husband and was seen walking arm-in-arm with the "demon" and talking in the most friendly way.

Another case was that of a rich old rural bachelor named Mowry, who concluded to have his declining years comforted by a spry city wife. She came out to his rustic home, antagonized all the ways and ideas that had become a second nature to him, and made life not worth living in just about one week. An honorarium of $5,000 induced her to consent to a divorce and she started on the lookout for another husband.

But the divorce laws are not, as a rule, abused. Most divorces are based on genuine desertion or continued drunkenness and non support, and the instances of fictitious evidence are probably the rare exception.

During the last term the Supreme Court carried out the new rule of hearing all cases in the open court room, instead of in the Judges' rooms, as has frequently if not generally been the practice before. The hearings in the Judges' rooms were not private, as has been mistakenly reported. The parties interested could be present, and the writer never heard of reporters being refused admittance, although such hearings were quite likely to escape the vigilant eye of the press. So far as the writer has learned, the Bar and influential public opinion to not take kindly to the new system. The public ground is that too much scandal is spread before the community, while the lawyers object on the score of convenience.

### A Surprised Clergyman.

The following incident is related on the authority of W. L. Bright, M. P.:—"Mr. Bright went into an agricultural district one day, and he had to walk from the station a long way into the village. On the way a clergyman who was driving in a dog cart came up to him and the two men passed the time of day. The clergyman offered to drive Mr. Bright into the village, and Mr. Bright accepted the offer. The clergyman was a Tory and he had been reading a speech Mr. Bright had made the previous night, and turning to Mr. Bright he said: 'Have you seen the papers to-day, sir?'

"'Yes,' said Mr. Bright. 'What's in them?'

"'Why, that rascal John Bright has been making another speech.'

"'And what was it about?' asked Mr. Bright.

"'Why, so-and-so and so-and-so,' and he went on to relate the incidents of the speech. They discussed the topic and Mr. Bright said:

"'Well, it is just possible that Mr. Bright may have been right and that he was only expressing his honest convictions. There may be something in it.'

"'Oh, no, there can't be,' said the irate clergyman. 'If I had him here I'd feel just like shooting him.'

"Neither revealed his identity, but before they separated the clergyman invited Mr. Bright to go to his church next morning, and Mr. Bright promised to go. And he kept his word, as he always did. The clergyman took for his theme Mr. Bright's speech, and at the conclusion Mr. Bright thanked him for his very able sermon. As he was going home to dinner a friend of the clergyman met him and said: 'You have been preaching under distinguished patronage this morning then.'

"'No,' said the clergyman.

"'Oh, yes, you have,' said the friend. 'You had John Bright among the congregation. You must have noticed him in the front in the middle pew. I know him perfectly well, and I assure you it was Mr. Bright.'

"'Why,' said the clergyman, 'I drove him to the village yesterday in my dog cart and called him a rascal and execrated him in all the moods and tenses and he never said a word. He kept perfectly calm and cool. I have insulted him. I must go and apologize at once.'"—St. James' Gazette.

### Not Real Live Frogs.

A good story is told concerning the proprietor of the Hotel Bellevue and one of the well known wits of the Clover club. It appears that some time ago a private dinner was ordered in the hotel, at which frogs' legs a la poulet was to form an important course. On the day of the dinner, by some piece of ill luck, it was found that the supply of frogs had failed, and the question of where to obtain any more became an important one. In this emergency, as the proprietor of the hotel was bewailing his hard fate, our Clover club friend approached and asked what was the matter. He was told the sad state of affairs.

"Oh," said he, sweetly, "if you want frogs, that's all right. I have two dozen large ones in the fountain on my place in Germantown. You can have them if you like. Send your man out now and I'll give him a note to my gardener." The offer was accepted with effusive thanks. The man was duly called, given the note and dispatched for the frogs, and both proprietor and guest wished him godspeed.

In about two hours he returned, and his face wore a sort of puzzled expression. "Have you got the frogs?" said his master. "No, sor," said the faithful servant.

"Weren't there any there?" inquired the Clover club man, meekly. "Shure there was, sor," said the other, "but, sor, they were iron frogs." "How very stupid of me not to have mentioned the fact before," remarked the wicked joker as he departed from the hotel.—Philadelphia Times.

### The Work of Modern Chemistry.

Some years ago, in the course of a conversation with an eminent mathematician, I asked in all seriousness whether he could give me a definition of mathematics that would convey to my mind even a faint idea of the object in view in mathematical investigation. He replied: "It is impossible to give such a definition—as impossible as it is in the case of chemistry." "But," said I, "I think I can give a definition of chemistry which would have some value;" and then, with a little time to think, I suggested a definition, which elicited this remark: "I could certainly give an equally bald definition of mathematics." I have frequently thought of this subject since, and have wondered whether it is possible to convey to the minds of those who are not chemists a clear idea in regard to the work chemists are doing. The difficulties are great—as great, I suppose, as in the case of mathematics, for chemists are no longer engaged in the study of familiar phenomena, but are dealing with matters which lie far beyond the limits of ordinary observation.—The Popular Science Monthly.

### Queer Hen Egg.

Mr. A. H. Winter has a curiosity in the shape of a hen egg, and it is the most monstrous one of the season, measuring 6¾ inches in diameter and 7¾ inches in length.—Gainesboro (Ga.) Herald.


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I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT SIXTY days after date I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land situated on Kitwanga Lake, Skeena District, commencing at a post marked "Thomas Hodgson's Pre-emption No. 1," at the south-west corner of Hodgson's Ranch at Kitwanga, at a stake marked A, thence running west 40 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence north 40 chains to point of commencement. Staked March 10th, 1889.

THOMAS McNEILL.

Wannock, Rivers Inlet, July 25, 1889. au5-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following lands in Queen Charlotte District, viz.:—

1. A small island called Goat Island, situate in Skidegate Inlet, and lying south of Shoal Bay, containing 30 acres, more or less.

2. 1280 acres lying west of the old Seymour Coal Claim, on Skidegate Bay, commencing at the north-west corner post of the said claim; thence south 80 chains; thence west 160 chains, more or less, to Rice Creek; thence north to the shore of Skidegate Bay; thence following the shore line to the point of commencement.

Dated at Victoria, this 31st day of July, 1889.

JAMES FIELD,
JAMES DEANS.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND 60 days after date to make application to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 170 acres of land in the Cariboo district known as the Steamboat Landing near Alexandria, between the 194 and 195 mile posts on the left bank of Fraser River, commencing at a stake marked A, 133 yards below the south of creek at stern of steamer Victoria, where she now lies at ship yard and running north 44 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence south 44 chains; thence west 40 chains to place of commencement.

ROBT. McLEESE.

Steamboat Landing, near Alexandria,
24th June, 1889. jy4-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SIXTY days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land more or less, situated on Valdes Island, Nanaimo District, described as follows: Commencing at a stake at the head of Horseshoe Bay; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains to the point of commencement.

July 31, 1889. jel M. C. IRELAND.

WE, the undersigned, hereby give notice that 60 days after date we intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land situated as follows:—Commencing at a stake planted at West Entrance Point, Hesquiot Harbor, west coast Vancouver Island, thence running one mile in a northerly direction along beach to stake No. 2, thence westerly one mile to stake No. 3, thence southerly one mile to stake No. 4, thence easterly one mile to point of commencement.

J. MAHER & CO.

Hesquiot, March 7th, 1889. jel7

NOTICE is hereby given that, 60 days after date, I intend to make application to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase Savary Island, Straits of Georgia, containing about 640 acres, more or less.

ALBERT VIDLER.

June 6th, 1889. jy6-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE intend to apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a lease, for timbering purposes, of the following described lands:

Tract No. 1—Commencing about two miles east of Granite Point, Valdes Island, on the south side of the unsurveyed channel, running south 100 chains; east 100 chains; south 100 chains; east 100 chains to a bay on unsurveyed channel; thence north 100 chains along the shore line; thence west along the shore line 200 chains to place of commencement.

Tract No. 2—Commencing on the north side of unsurveyed channel about two miles east of Discovery Passage; thence running 60 chains west; 160 chains north; 160 chains east; 60 chains south to the shore; 40 chains along shore to place of commencement.

Tract No. 3—Starting on the north side of unsurveyed channel, in Trincomali, 20 chains north; west 60 chains; south 40 chains; east along shore 60 chains to point of commencement.

Tract No. 4—Commencing on a bay running 20 chains north; east 20 chains; north 40 chains; east 40 chains; south 80 chains to the shore line; north-westerly along the shore to point of commencement.

Tract No. 5.—On a bay on the south side of the unsurveyed channel, running 20 chains south; 20 chains east; 40 chains south; 60 chains east; north 80 chains to the shore line; west along the shore line to point of commencement.

VICTORIA LUMBER & MANUFACTURING CO.

Victoria, Jan. 14th, 1889. jel1-2m

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT I INTEND to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase the following islands situated on the north side of Lasqueti Island, Gulf of Georgia:

The small islands to the north of Section 28 on Lasqueti Island, containing 50 acres, more or less.

One small island to the north of Section 21, containing 20 acres, more or less.

Two small islands in Tucker Bay, containing 10 acres, more or less.

jy11 MORRIS MOGG.

### NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND to apply at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Magistrates for the City of Victoria, for a hotel license, to sell wine, spirits and malt liquors, on the premises at Government street, known as the Delmonico Restaurant.

E. ESCALANT.

Victoria, Aug. 2, 1889. a3-1d

### NOTICE.

SIXTY DAYS AFTER DATE I INTEND TO make application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase 100 acres of land near McLoughlin Bay on the east coast of Campbell Island, B. C., described as follows: Beginning at the S. E. post of the Hudson Bay Co.'s claim; thence 20 chains west; thence south 50 chains; thence east 20 chains; thence following the shore line to the point of commencement.

JOSEPH HALL.

Nanaimo, July 24, 1889. jy26-2m

### NOTICE.

BY AN ORDER MADE on the 16th July, 1889, in an action in the Supreme Court of British Columbia, in which Jean Baptiste Brabe is Plaintiff and Edward Mainville Johnson and Joseph Poirier are Defendants, the said Joseph Poirier and his agents are restrained from selling or disposing of the sheep, cattle, pigs, and live and dead farming stock, or any part thereof, now in his possession at or near the farm in Sooke District, formerly occupied by the Plaintiff, until the trial of the action, or until further order.

Dated 19th July, 1889.

J. ROLAND HETT.

jy19-1m

### NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT DAVID Sim having been discharged from his employment as manager of the nursery grounds of the undersigned in this city, he is no longer authorized to receive moneys or otherwise to transact the business thereof. And all persons indebted to the undersigned in respect of the business of the said nursery grounds and greenhouses are notified to pay the amount of their indebtedness to the undersigned only.

JAY & CO.

Victoria, 17th July, 1889. jy17-2w

## British Columbia Milling & Mining

COMPANY (Limited).

LOCATION OF PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS, VICTORIA
LOCATION OF WORKS, DARWOOD

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT CALL No. 10, of one cent, per share, upon the members of the British Columbia Milling and Mining Company (Limited), made on the eighteenth day of December, A. D. 1888, is now due and payable to the registered holders of the shares herein, after specified, and that there is now due and unpaid upon the following described shares, on account of the said assessment, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective holders of such shares, namely:

| | No. of Certificate. | No. of Shares. | Amount |
|---|---|---|---|
| Annie Covington | 128 | 10 | $ .10 |
| George A. Deane | 1131 | 500 | 5.00 |
| Thomas Elwyn | 1109 | 200 | 2.00 |
| Sarah A. Sharpe | 1031 | 25 | .25 |
| Martha Rhodes | 1032 | 10 | .10 |
| Henry Rhodes | 925 | 10 | .10 |
| J. Judson Young | A899 | 100 | 1.00 |

The above mentioned shares, or so many thereof as will cover the amount due, with interest at the rate of one per cent. per month from the eleventh day of February, A. D. 1889, and expenses, will be sold by public auction at the office of the said Company, in the city of Victoria, British Columbia, on Saturday, the 10th day of August, 1889, at the hour of twelve o'clock at noon.

By order of the Board.

GEORGE A. SARGISON,
Secretary.

Dated at Victoria, the 20th day of July, 1889. jy20

## PROCLAMATION.

### NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT CHANCELLOR Bridgewing Commissioner for the C. P. R., has this the 26th day of July, 1889, issued a proclamation warning all persons from purchasing lots from Samuel Greer in Lot 526, Group One, Nootka, and as Your Lordship, I have never offered for sale any lots in said Lot 526, for that would be deception on the public, as the highest legal authority in British Columbia has confirmed the title to that lot straight—not one cent as consideration having been given. Now, if Your Lordship will adjust yourself and recover from your deep stupidity of Blackstone and the laws of estoppal, you will be able to see that the four Judges who threw your case out of Court last April were fully aware of the existence of the different Certificates of Pre-emption Record 1026, the being the Certificate Number of my land on English Bay. Come down and see us, I will be a few corner lots with a smattering of coal yet left. I mean to sell, and the public will persist in buying them, notwithstanding Your Lordship's decision. Things will move just the same at English Bay.

All parties are hereby warned that I have sold Smith have no title to Lot 526 till confirmed by the Legislature, and all sales will be void.

SAMUEL GREER.

Vancouver, July, 29. jy31-1m

## The Canadian Pacific Land and Mortgage Company, Limited, (Foreign).

Registered the 10th day of July, 1889.

### CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION.

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT I HAVE THIS day registered "The Canadian Pacific Land and Mortgage Company, Limited, (Foreign)" under the "Companies' Act," Part IV, Registration of Foreign Companies.

The objects for which the Company is established are:

1. To purchase, take under any concession, lease, or in exchange, hire or otherwise acquire, settle, improve, farm and cultivate lands of any tenure, franchises and hereditaments situate in the Dominion of Canada, the United States of North America, or elsewhere, including any mines, minerals, ships, steamboats, barges, and other vessels, engines, railway wagons, tanks, reservoirs, manufacturing plant, apparatus and stock in trade, and any other real and personal property of whatever description, whether the same be unencumbered or subject to any mortgage, charge, lien, easements, privileges, licenses, concessions or otherwise, and to develop the resources of any such properties by building any kind of structure thereupon, planting, reclaiming, clearing, mining, quarrying, excavating, damming, draining, farming, and otherwise dealing with and working the same, and to stock lands and farms and to breed, grow and deal in all kinds of stock, cattle, horses, sheep and produce, and to erect and maintain thereon suitable buildings and structures, including slaughtering, refrigerating, and converting establishments.

2. To invest money by way of advance, or loan at interest to any person or persons, or corporation, upon the security of any property and securities whatever, real or personal, including produce, crops and manufactures, government and all other stocks, bonds, mortgages, or securities, whether British, colonial, or foreign, and generally to buy, manufacture, deal in and sell all kinds of goods, chattels, merchandise, produce and effects.

3. To aid, encourage and promote immigration, emigration and colonization, and for such purposes to lend and grant any sums of money, and to act as agents therefor.

4. To work, win, convert, sell, use or otherwise deal with all or any mineral property of the Company, to construct or acquire, take concessions of purchase or lease, hire, maintain, improve, work and use, or aid in, or subscribe towards the construction, maintenance, improvement and working of roads, ways, streets, tramways, wire tramways, electric or other power, telegraph and telephone lines and works, or other means of communication or appliances of a similar nature, railways, rolling stock, locomotives, engines, docks, piers, harbors, quays, wharves, landing stages, jetties, slips, stores, bridges, canals, channels, wells, buoys, lights and beacons, viaducts, aqueducts, water works, flumes, culverts, ditches, warehouses, factories, shops, churches, chapels, schools, libraries, institutes, inns, foundries, brick kilns, reduction works, gas and water works, electric lighting or power works, hotels, mills, undertakings, works, and other buildings and structures, of every description, and for the above purposes to enter into and carry into effect any contracts, and apply for, accept, and carry into effect such concessions, licenses or authorities as may be deemed necessary or advisable.

5. To acquire running powers, rights or payments over and to make arrangements with any companies or persons for the joint working of any railway, tramway, or line of electric wire, or other similar means of communication.

6. To build, purchase, charter, hire or otherwise acquire, maintain, repair and use steam and other ships and vessels, and to carry on the business of ship owners, lightermen, wharfingers, dock owners, warehousemen, ship chandlers, commission and shipping agents, and to levy cranage, anchorage, lighterage and other dues and tolls, either in connection with the other businesses of the Company, or as an independent source of profit.

7. To transact all manner of agency and commission business, and in particular to act as agents for any persons or corporations in the purchase, sale, or management in any way of lands, hereditaments and other property in the Dominion of Canada, the United States of North America, or elsewhere, where the Company may for the time than being be carrying on business, and to carry on the business of general, commercial, mercantile, shipping or forwarding agents, or agents for any railway, steamship, or other company.

8. To accept and hold any property whatsoever upon any trust whatever, and to make advances against the same, and to issue debentures thereon against, and to act as trustees, attorneys or agents of or for any persons, living or dead, or of any company, corporation, public body or supreme government, and also as real or personal representatives of any decease persons.

9. To transact all business connected with the investment and loan of money at interest, to receive money on deposit, and generally to transact and carry on every description of banking, discount, exchange and financial business.

10. To make, draw, accept, indorse, discount and execute promissory notes, bills of exchange, and other negotiable instruments.

11. To build, lay out, settle, colonize and develop towns and villages on the lands acquired or controlled by the Company from time to time.

12. To purchase or otherwise acquire the exclusive or limited right to use information as regards any inventions, whether patented or not, which may seem capable of being used for any purposes of the Company, or the acquisition of which may seem calculated, directly or indirectly, to benefit the Company, and to acquire any grants, charters, concessions, patents, patent rights, monopolies, brevets d'inventions, copyrights or licenses, and to use, exercise, develop, grant licenses in respect of, or otherwise turn to account the property, rights and information acquired.

13. To take or otherwise acquire, and hold or sell shares, stock, debentures, or any other interest in any other company, whether British or foreign, in which the liability of the members is limited, having objects altogether or in part similar to those of this Company, or carrying on any business capable of being conducted so as directly or indirectly to benefit this Company.

14. To purchase or otherwise acquire or undertake all or any part of the business, property and liabilities of any company, corporation, society, partnership or persons carrying on, or about to carry on, any business which this Company is authorized to carry on, or which is in any respect similar to the business for the time being of this Company, or which is capable of being conducted so as directly or indirectly to benefit this Company, and to make and carry into effect arrangements with respect to the sharing of profits, union of interests or amalgamation, either in whole or in part, of this Company with any such company, corporation, society, partnership or persons.

15. To dispose of by sale, lease, underlease, exchange, surrender, mortgage or otherwise absolutely, conditionally, or for any limited interest, all or any part of the undertaking, property, rights or privileges of the Company as a going concern or otherwise, to any public body, company, society or association, or to any person or persons, and in particular to any other company having objects altogether or in part similar to those of this Company, and to accept as the consideration, or part of the consideration for such disposal money, stock shares, debentures or other securities, either for distribution in specie among the members of the Company.

16. To subscribe for, take, acquire, hold and sell the stock, shares, scrip, certificates, bonds, obligations, debentures and securities of any other company, or of any supreme, municipal, public or local board or authority.

17. To borrow and raise money for the purposes of the Company in such manner and upon such terms as the Company shall think fit, and to secure the repayment thereof by bonds or debentures, or by redeemable or undeemable debenture stock (such bonds, debentures and debenture stock being made payable to bearer or otherwise) or by any other instruments, or by bills of exchange, or promissory notes, or in such other manner as may be determined, and for any such purposes to charge all or any part of the property of the Company (both present and future), including the uncalled capital.

18. To obtain any provisional order or Act of Parliament, or legislative provision, decree or order of any colony, foreign government, body or authority, to incorporate the members as a body politic or corporate, in accordance with the laws and constitution of any country or state in which the Company shall be carrying on, or be desirous of carrying on, any of its operations, and to take all steps and do all things necessary to give the Company, or any company subsidiary thereto, a legal domicile in any such country or state, and such incidental powers as will facilitate the carrying into effect of the objects of the Company therein.

19. To give any guarantee of whatever description in relation to the stock, shares, debentures or other securities or obligations of any company or supreme, public, municipal or local body or authority, and generally to guarantee the performance of any covenant or obligation.

20. To transact all business connected with the investment and loan of money at interest.

21. To allot the shares of the Company credited as fully or partly paid up as the whole or part of the purchase price for any property purchased by the Company, or for any valuable consideration.

22. To appropriate and apply such parts of the capital of the Company as may be expedient to the payment of such brokerage, discounts and other expenses as may be deemed incidental to the formation and promotion of the Company, and the placing of its shares and debentures, or any part thereof.

23. To aid any government or state, or any municipal, local or other body politic or corporate, or company or association, or individuals with capital, credit, means or resources, for the prosecution of any works, undertakings, projects or enterprises.

24. To do all or any of the above things in any part of the world, and either alone or in partnership or conjunction with any person or other association, and either as principals or agents, and to contract for the carrying on of any operation connected with the Company's business by any person or other association.

25. To carry out the objects comprised in each paragraph of this clause in as full and ample a manner, and construed in as wide a sense as they would be construed if each paragraph of this clause defined the objects of a separate, distinct and independent company, and so that each objects shall not, except where otherwise expressed in such paragraph, be restricted by reference to the objects indicated in any other paragraph.

26. To do all such other things as are incidental or conducive to the attainment of the above objects, or any of them, or which the Company shall consider incidental or conducive to the attainment of the above objects, or any of them, and so that the word "company" in this memorandum shall be deemed to include any partnership or other body of persons, whether corporate or incorporate, and wherever domiciled.

The amount of capital stock of the said Company is £250,000, divided into 25,000 share of £10 each.

The place of business of the said Company is located at the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia.

In testimony whereof I have hereto set my hand and affixed my seal of office this 15th day of July, 1889, at the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia.

(L.S.) C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.

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## LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.

### News of the City and Province Briefly Told.

—Ice Cream at Stolz's. *

—Fog is reported thick in the vicinity of Cape Flattery.

—Zylonite collars and cuffs at Daley's 111 Government street. *

—The Walla Walla sails for San Francisco at 1 p. m. to-morrow.

—The steamer Maude, Capt. Leach, arrived from Alberni last night.

—Table cutlery, in steel and silver-plate, at McLennan & McFeely's. *

—The interior of the Pritchard House is being handsomely embellished.

—Stylish suits to order, good value, at A. Gregg & Son's, 42 Yates street. *

—Largest stock of house furnishing goods in the province at John Weiler's. *

—Just arrived—Choice new trimmings at A. Gregg & Son's, 42 Yates St. *

—Fruit jars and jelly glasses in any quantity, all sizes, at John Weiler's. *

—Forty-four Chinese ex steamship Batavia, arrived down last night on the Islander.

—Our terms and prices for Pianos and Organs are very reasonable. M. W. Waitt & Co. *

—The steamer Rithet took on board here to-day 300 barrels of cement for the mainland.

—Light-weight overcoats, very cheap for thirty days, at A. Gregg & Son's, 42 Yates street. *

—"We lead" for elegance, style and beauty of finish. Hall & Lowe, Government street. *

—Ice cream delivered to all parts of the city. New England Bakery. Telephone call 161. *

—A pair of high grade swine for the Messrs. Tolmie arrived from California this morning.

—If you have anything to dispose of take it to Brown & Myers, auctioneers, 64 Yates street. jy23-m

—Public opinion seems to agree that Mr. D. W. Higgins will be the next Speaker of the House.

—The best place to secure a good suit to order, is at Campbell & Simpkins', 88 Government street. *

—For the latest American designs in Upholstery. Try Hastie & Lockhart's, 62 Government street. *

—Sideboards that have no equal in design and price at Hastie & Lockhart's, 62 Government street. *

—The steamer Yosemite has gone to her old anchorage near the custom house to be out of the way.

—The steamer Boscowitz is taking on freight and will leave for the north to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock.

—Don't forget to attend the sale Saturday night, at Brown & Myers' Auction room, 64 Yates street. *ts

—The steamer Bella arrived from the Fraser this morning for supplies, and left again about noon.

—Mrs. McLennan, business and test medium, removed to 38 Kane street. Sittings daily from 10 a. m. *

—The finest assortment of Bedroom sets for the least money at Hastie & Lockhart's, 62 Government street. *

—A marriage will take place at Saanich on Thursday evening. The bride and groom are residents of the district.

—The Palace Hotel, Nanaimo, has changed hands, Messrs. Hindmarsh and Peters being the new proprietors.

—The B. C. Society for the Investigation of Spiritualism will hold a picnic near Florence Lake on Sunday next.

—Young Men's Institute No. 85 will hold a meeting this evening in the old Board of Trade rooms, on Langley street.

—A number of men were sent out by the government this afternoon to suppress a bush fire near Tolmie school house.

—A private letter received from the fleet now at Port Simpson says the war vessels will arrive at Esquimalt next Monday.

—Two fine building lots on Toronto street, James Bay, for sale cheap. Apply at Blanchard's drug store, 115 Government street. *tf

—At a meeting of miners held in Nanaimo on Saturday night, nothing whatever was done in connection with the colliery surgeon.

—The chief officer of the City of Puebla has resigned and Chief Officer Green, of the steamship Mexico has been transferred to the position.

—The old wooden stables at the corner of Trounce and Broad streets were pulled down to-day to make room for Mr. A. A. Green's new brick block.

—The halyards on the city hall flag pole broke loose on Saturday. On Monday afternoon a young man named William Neill climbed the pole and brought down the flag.

—Just arrived at Hastie & Lockhart's a large consignment of the very latest designs in Linoleums, Carpets and Mattings. Call before purchasing elsewhere. 62 Government street. *

—In compliance with a general demand from those unable to have sittings with Mrs. McLennan, the medium, she has converted to remain one week longer. "The Clarence," rooms 8 and 9. *3

—The Nanaimo *Courier* says: "Mr. Theodore Davie is the only one of the above quintette who will be required to go before his constituency for endorsement, and we hope he will be returned, for if he is not the present government might as well close up shop."

—To-morrow (Wednesday) evening a social gathering will be held in the school-house at Cedar Hill, under the auspices of the I.O.G.T. The names of Messrs. R. E. Knowles, J. G. Brown, J. Grant and Prof. Herbert, appear on the programme and guarantee its success. Mr. Knowles will deliver an address on "college life."

## PROVINCIAL COURT.

(Before Robert Ward, Esq., J. P.)

Thomas Healy, charged with attempting to escape from the provincial gaol, pleaded guilty. Warden John and Wm. Muldoon gave evidence, and the court decided to commit the prisoner for trial.

## POLICE COURT.

(Before Hon. L. N. Richards, Q. C.)

Hop Sing, charged with assault was fined $5 and costs.

David Cragie, on a charge of burglarizing the store of J. J. Daley, received a sentence of imprisonment for six months.

Charles Whittel was dismissed and was used as a witness against Cragie. His Honor cautioned Whittel and allowed him to leave the court room.

A drunk paid the usual.

### For Sale.

Barber shop at Kamloops. Good paying business. Two chairs. For particulars apply at TIMES office. *2t.

### Belmont Farm

The Belmont farm, eight miles from Victoria on the Matchosin road, the property of the Belmont Tunnel Co., was sold last week to Messrs. Pierce and Steward, two young Englishmen, for the sum of $9000. The farm consists of 500 acres.

### The Colquitz Case.

It is understood that the signers of the petition to the City Council respecting the drying up of Colquitz river are not allowing the matter to drop. A meeting of the petitioners has been called for to-morrow evening to decide on what course to take.

### History of B. C.

Major Downie, the veteran prospector, is again in the field soliciting subscriptions for a book—Bancroft's History of British Columbia. The work is the only complete history of the province ever published, and a copy of it should be in every house. We bespeak for the Major a special reception and several thousand subscribers. *

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

### Music at the Hill.

The music at Beacon Hill on Sunday provided by the Philharmonic band, was listened to by a large crowd. It will be repeated next Sunday.

### Wellington Hotel.

Messrs. Ousterhout & Kennedy have leased the Wellington Hotel and will take possession at once. The new proprietors are well and favorably known throughout the province.

### Another Collier.

The iron steamer Costa Rica has been chartered by Dunsmuir & Sons to ply in the coal trade between Comox and San Francisco. The time of the charter is brief, expiring January 1st, 1890.

### Change of Ownership.

J. J. Dawley, formerly proprietor of the Commercial Hotel, and Mr. C. C. Fox has purchased Mr. I. Bechtel's interest in the Vancouver House, on Yates street. Mr. Dawley is one of the best hotel proprietors in the city.

### Change of Business.

Mr. Arthur Bullock, of Nanaimo, has disposed of his dry goods business to J. S. Stannard, of this city. Mr. Stannard is well known as the popular salesman with W. Wilson, Government street. The new firm will be known as J. S. Stannard & Co.

### Chinese Coal Heavers.

The crew of the ship J. H. Hustede, now lying in Esquimalt, with a cargo of coal ready to be discharged, deserted yesterday. To-day the captain was endeavoring to arrange for a gang of Chinese to undertake to unload the immense cargo, some 1,800 tons.

### A Delightful Trip.

The favorite steamer Princess Louise has been put in the best of shape for her northern trip, sailing to-morrow. Those desirous of going can be assured of plenty of room, as the vessel will not be crowded by any means. The scenery on the trip cannot be expressed on paper. It must be seen to be appreciated.

### The Bank is Safe.

The police received a telephone message at 9:40 o'clock last night calling the men on duty to the Bank of British Columbia. The janitor heard the 9:30 o'clock gun at O Battery barracks and he imagined that burglars were at work blowing open the safe in the bank. When the police reached the bank they found everything safe. The watchful janitor was much relieved when he found the coin and notes still behind the iron doors in the bank.

### Our Contemporary.

The Vancouver *World* has the following: "It is reported that the Victoria *Standard* is to be converted into a morning paper, and its name to be changed to that of the *Morning Call*. Since its entrance into the evening field the loss sustained by its proprietors has been heavy, said to be about $1,000 per month. If rumor is correct, Mr. D. W. Higgins and other well known citizens and politicians in the capital are to be interested in the new venture. The first issue will appear in a few days."

### Heavy Travel.

The Olympian came in last evening with the largest ordinary day's passenger list of the season. There were 200 passengers on board. Amongst the number was the Arion Turn Verein society of Portland on a pleasure jaunt. There were also two blue jackets belonging to the U. S. warship Trenton of Samoan cyclone fame, who are on their way east via the C. P. R., having got an honorable discharge. These two sturdy young fellows were part of the crew that cheered H. M. S. Calliope as she steamed out to sea in the teeth of that fearful gale.

### Mrs. Barnard's Death.

At an early hour on Monday morning Mrs. F. J. Barnard passed away to her eternal reward. The deceased was a native of Quebec and was 64 years of age. Mrs. Barnard arrived in this province in 1860, and since that time she has resided almost continously in Victoria where many friends are left to grieve over the death of a most charitable lady. The deceased leaves two sons, F. S. Barnard, M. P., and H. Barnard, and one daughter, Mrs. J. A. Mara. They have the sympathy of the community in their sad affliction. The funeral will take place from the residence at 9:30 o'clock to-morrow (Wednesday) morning.

### The Seizure of the Swiftsure.

A pretty good thing is told of the blue jacket which the Rush placed on board the Black Diamond. While conversing with one of our merchants and sealing vessel owners, he was asked if he thought there would be any more seizures.

"Do yes," said he "they will go right along sure enough. I heard to-day," he observed, "that they have seized the Swiftsure."

When the merchant recovered he explained to the visitor how the story had originated and the blue jacket straightway made for the TIMES office to obtain a copy, which he said he wanted to send to the officers.

### Contractor Woods.

Contractor John E. Woods, who has been in the building business in Portland and East Portland for several years, says the *Oregonian*, left two weeks ago without telling any one where he was going and no word has been received from him since. It was reported yesterday that he was seen in Seattle. A gentleman who had business with Mr. Woods and who was on his bonds on a building contract, also stated Mr. Woods had requested him to forward certain papers to Victoria. It is too early to draw any conclusions on his actions and his friends have been in hopes he would return. Mechanic liens have been placed on all his contracts.

### How it Stood.

In view of Mr. Davie's candidature, a reader has asked us to reproduce the number of votes polled by the respective candidates at the last general election in Victoria. The following are the official figures:

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| Robt. Beaven | 540 |
| E. G. Prior | 540 |
| J. H. Turner | 472 |
| Thos. Davie | 463 |
| Simeon Duck | 456 |
| R. T. Williams | 413 |
| Robt. Lipsett | 362 |
| J. Wrigleswortb | 321 |
| A. J. Smith | 208 |
| J. M. Duval | 127 |
| J. W. Carey | 53 |

### Bush Fires.

A resident of the Saanich road called at the central fire hall last night at 10 o'clock and informed the department that a bush fire was burning near Mr. Fern's residence on the Tolmie estate. Chief Deasy and L. G. Barns went out to the scene and found that the fire was burning along a new road behind Capt. Reveley's estate. The fire department were not sent out and it is thought that the houses in the neighborhood are safe unless a high wind springs up from the north. The fire was burning in the woods, over a mile from the city limits, and it was thought unwise to take the horses and apparatus from the city during the dry spell unless the houses are in danger.

### Raiff-Nicholles.

Shortly after the arrival of the Princess Louise last night, a pleasant little ceremony took place at the residence of Rev. M. L. Begg. Mr. Frank H. Raiff, the popular purser of the Princess Louise, was united in marriage to Mrs. Edith Nicholles, who arrived from El Paso, Texas, by the steamer from Puget Sound last evening. It was nearly twelve o'clock when the Louise came in from Comox, but before Redfern's clock had tolled the hour of one the happy couple had been united. The groom is well known in British Columbia, having crossed several times forth and back from China on the C. P. R. steamships Batavia and Abyssinia. He is a jolly good fellow and popular wherever he is known.

## MISSED HIS MAN.

### Peter Sinnott Fires a Pistol Shot at Jack Sharp.

A row took place in the Prince of Wales saloon at the corner of Government and Cormorant streets at 12:30 o'clock this afternoon in which a pistol played a prominent part. A sealer named Peter Sinnott and another man named Jack Sharp became involved in a quarrel and decided to settle the matter by fighting in the back yard of the saloon. The men were fighting when a third party interfered to take Sharp's part. When Sinnott saw the third man he said he would put a bullet in him and in a second he drew a pistol from his pocket. The weapon was pointed at Sharp by the drunken man, and a bullet whistled near his head and entered the woodwork of the saloon. The police were called in and Sinnott was disarmed and arrested. He was a sealer on the schooner Wanderer. Since he arrived in the city Sinnott has not drawn a sober breath, and it is fortunate that he did not kill someone in his drunken fury. The prisoner is a young man and is booked at the police station on a charge of shooting with intent to kill.

## SUCCESSFUL BURGLARY.

### The Safe in Campbell's Drug Store Opened and Robbed.

Last night, between 10 and 12 o'clock, the drug store of Campbell & Co, at the corner of Douglas and Fort streets, was forcibly entered through a back window, and the safe rifled of most of its cash. Mr. Campbell left the store about 9:30 and returned again shortly after twelve to count and put away the cash in the till, when he found that the inner safe door had been unlocked and $267.25 in coin and bills had been taken. The small cash boxes which contained the money were on the floor in front of the safe, one of them having a few dollars in silver and the other ten or twelve dollars in gold and notes. The failure of the burglar to take all the money in sight, and to go through the money drawer in the counter, is pretty clear proof that he was disturbed before he had got through with his search after treasure. The outer door of the safe (which is a small one with a combination lock) had been left open until the proceeds of the day's sales were put away; and it is quite evident that the burglar was provided with the right kind of a key, one of peculiar design, to unlock the inner iron door. He is either a professional at the business or else he is familiar with the place and the safe, for which a special key was required. There is no clue to the burglar, but the police were promptly apprised of the robbery and may succeed in spotting the right man.

## SUNDAY'S ROBBERY.

### Craigie, the Youthful Criminal Sent Up For Six Months.

Three boys appeared in the police court this morning, charged with burglarizing the toy and fancy store of Mr. J. J. Daley, Government street, on Sunday night. Their names were Craigie, already well known to the police as a youthful criminal, Whitty, and Tasso. They were captured yesterday by Sergeant Walker with a portion of the stolen property in their possession while the remainder was discovered in a hole in the ground, on the banks of the Arm above Point Ellice bridge and opposite the sister rocks. As it appeared to the police that Craigie had been the leader in the robbery, and had effected the entrance to the store, and really led the others into trouble, he only was prosecuted in the police court this morning. Whitty confessed as to the manner in which the store had been entered and gave information to the police which led to the recovery of the stolen property. He also testified that Tasso, an Indian boy, had nothing to do with the crime.

In the police court, young Craigie conducted himself with all the braveness of an old criminal and cross-questioned the witnesses as to the truth of their testimony. He was anxious to know of Mr. Daley as to the time he had closed his store up Saturday night and if he was sure he had locked the door when he went out, the inference being that it had been left open. Craigie was not very well pleased when he learned that he was going up alone and contended the point vigorously with the magistrate that Whitty should go with. Through the leniency of Mr. Daley and the police, he was given six months in jail which he will no doubt improve by learning anything that will be useful to him in the criminal life which he seems bound to lead. The other boys were discharged.

The damage and loss to Mr. Daley's goods amount to about $60. The manner in which many articles were destroyed showing that they were bent on destruction and had entered the store for that purpose.

### An Evangelist Arrives.

Rev. Mr. Downie, a great Australian evangelist, has arrived in the city and will hold gospel services in the St. Andrew's Presbyterian church during all of next week, meetings being held both in the afternoon and evening. Mr. Downie is also said to be a firm believer in and a demonstrator of divine healing, carrying with him testimonials from well-known San Francisco business men testifying to his powers in this respect.

### The Next Excursion.

Our readers, who have noted the advertisement of the C. P. N. Co., in which the excursion of their fine steamer, the Princess Louise, has been set forth, need hardly be reminded that this steamer leaves to-morrow for the north. Freight and passengers will be taken for all points on the N.-W. Coast of the Province, as well as to those of Queen Charlotte Islands. This steamer has just been thoroughly renovated and presents a very attractive appearance, as she lies at her moorings, and it is safe to say that the attractions are not all external and the voyage will be one of comfort, and pleasure. We are informed that several of our best citizens have expressed their intention to participate in the enjoyment of the trip.

### Migration of Red Men.

Every year about this time Indians come down with their households to Seattle and Tacoma from all along the coast as far north as Queen Charlotte's Sound, in light cedar canoes, to engage in hop picking in the White river, Snoqualmie an Puyallup valleys. They bring with them abalone shells and woven grass trinkets, and go back in the fall with red blankets and money. Each year fewer come to the fields, for two reasons: The hop country is becoming supplied with white pickers, and the whites are building up industries which employ the Indians at home. The Seattle *Post-Intelligencer* says: It is thought that the Indians will not return as all next year, owing to the action of the Oregon Improvement Company in covering with steel rails their favorite camp down by the Ocean dock.

### A Paper Mill.

Mr. W. Hewartson, a gentleman of long experience in the paper making trade, is collecting data in respect to the consumption of news, print and wrapping papers in British Columbia. His intention is, if his inquiries show that the demand will warrant it, to erect a paper mill and commence the manufacture of this article. Raw material of a very superior kind, can be procured in the province, and with transportation charges amounting to twenty per cent. of the value, as against eastern manufacturers, there would be no difficulty, we are of opinion, in controlling the local market. It is all a question of the amount consumed, and it will probably be ascertained that the aggregate quantity of the several grades used in the province would be sufficient to keep one mill fully employed. There is money in the paper making trade. All the old time manufacturers of the east, like Buntin, Reardon and others are wealthy.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

### The "Record" Breaker."

The City of Puebla, Capt. Debney, arrived from San Francisco at 11:30 last night with 25 passengers and 234 tons of freight for this port. Capt. Debney is proud of the vessel's last unprecedented run of 59 hours to San Francisco, and a chantifleer's head is now carried at the main mast.

### Passengers Arriving.

Per steamer Olympian from Puget Sound—G W McKee and wife, Wm Long, H M Pierce and wife, T S Norris, Wm J Buckley, J Reelhoffer, N F Wood and wife, Miss Fay, Miss Strong, Miss Stirling, E J Hughes and wife, Judge Cross, F Parchouse and wife, Mrs Thompson, J B Stuart and wife, Miss Hughes, Miss Irvin, A E Cross, A E Dunstedt, Mrs E Nichols, Miss Aldrich, Mrs Greenhagen, Mrs C H Chapman, Mrs Seigermeyer, D Durkey, Jos Gremont and wife, J Kamm, P Weyner, A Hansen, G Rochbach and wife, P D Bennett and wife and daughter, J Anderson, J Dalbas, E Stevens, J Johnson, Mrs Smith and son, W Hoffinger, Frank Eesler and wife, Josie Baines, M Johnson, J Foster, A Wienheimer, H J Hefty, P Belton, A Harr, L Dammasch, A Lobson, Professor Siebener, F Sanbriest, J Lobston, G Patterdick, T A Pate, H Crister, J Sullivan, A Roth, C Grillsmoen, H Dinsy, J H Germeyer, A Candschubken, H Crofts, C A Lenkenburg, J Blair and wife, J H C Mevlard, J F Johnson, W H H Graham and wife, Miss Aaker, H Wagner, Miss Taylor, Mrs Hunteon and daughter, H B Taylor, W M Kagne, J Sutherland, M L Coovert, C H Wiler, A Mikes, Susan McIntyre, H Rhodes, J Morgan and wife, F Tarr, J Caldwell, J A Oliver, A G Keller, P McLean, Capt Martin, Mrs Oliver, R Maddon, H Quigby, A W Moot, C Mack, F Robinson, M Robinson, Mary McLean, F H Rosenburg, Wm Coovert, H C Hamilton, M Gilman, M Farris, S Mespand, C Toloski, A Jenson, W E Stubbs, J L Kinn, J Dwyer, Ira Brown, M J Brown, Miss Goland, C C Collins, four Indian women, J White, M P Hutchinson, W A Hamilton, M J Miller, John Gill and wife, H Wideman, A Johnson, H Cansberg, E Edmunds, M J Turner, G W Denny, S Caron, J Smith, R McDonald, J Dawson, A McVandicar, S J Corrigan, H McLardy, J A Sheehan.

Per steamer Rithet from New Westminster—Mrs Waley, Miss Waley, Mrs P Briggs, Mrs A Bossi, Mrs Tiedman and son, Mr and Mrs Parrin, Mr and Mrs Roberts, Miss Shaw, O B Wright, Capt Urquhart, H Davis, 28 Hough, R Ward, D Dick, John Dales, F Clay, J Chorway, J Stamford, Miss Stamford, L Wook, A Campbell, L B Tytmen, J M Kerr, J C Henderson, J Hemans, Balzie, W Johnson, R Bryce, F B Pemberton, G Hayts, H McDermott, John McDermott, D Campbell, Jas Gilley, F Winters, T Draper, 12 deck.

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E. H. FLETCHER,
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